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EUREKA COUNTY LOCAL COVID-19 TRANSITION PLAN

In connection with Governor Sisolak's Declaration of Emergency Directive 041 and the Nevada Roadmap to Recovery Transition Plan allowing for full delegation of authority on May 1, 2021, Eureka County hereby submits the following Local Plan:

In addition to continuing to work with federal and state partners for ongoing testing and vaccination efforts, Eureka County will continue to follow baseline mitigation measures, recognizing the following are enforced by the State:

- Statewide mask requirement as outlined in Directive 024.
- Additionally, industries regulated by the state, whether through professional licensing boards covered in Title 54 of the Nevada Revised Statutes, through state agencies, or through independent regulatory bodies such as the Gaming Control Board, will continue to follow the statewide baseline standards for COVID-19 mitigation measures and any mitigation measures promulgated by their respective regulatory bodies.

Eureka County continues to respond to the public health crisis and continues to execute vaccination and testing efforts when requested and required.

Local Mitigation and Enforcement Plan Requirements

Monitoring

- *COVID-19 measures and indicators to be monitored to determine the nature of the virus within your communities.*
 - Eureka County will continue its monitoring efforts with testing and rates of positivity to determine prevalence of virus and community spread.
- *Protection of vulnerable populations.*
- Eureka County will continue its commitment to protecting our vulnerable populations. Strict biosecurity measures are in place at our Senior Citizens Centers and also on our transportation equipment associated with these centers.
- *Testing and contact tracing efforts.*
 - Eureka County will continue COVID testing and contact tracing efforts previously established through our contract with William Bee Ririe Hospital (WBRH), Emergency Management and our County Health Officer, in conjunction with State officials. Our primary method of controlling community spread will be through the judicious use of rapid testing when significant numbers of contacts are identified. Confirmatory PCR testing will be done on all rapid test positives.
- *Hospital capacity management.*
 - Eureka County has no hospital and will continue to work with WBRH in Ely in addition to coordinating with other region hospitals. Air ambulance is the primary mode of transportation out of Eureka for moderate and severely ill patients, as a result, transportation to facilities with capacity is more readily available.

- *Status of PPE and other materials needed.*
 - Eureka County PPE reserves are sufficient at this time should we see a spike in cases or a need to implement stricter measures to mitigate community spread. No requests for supplies are anticipated at this time.

Mitigation Measures

- *Occupancy restrictions for public and private gatherings, events, and activities.*
 - None
- *Large event gatherings and plan approval process.*
 - None
- *Youth and adult recreational sports.*
 - None
- *Industry-specific County guidance.*
 - None
- *General social distancing, PPE, and hygiene requirements for businesses and public activities.*
 - Statewide directives for face coverings are in place.
- *Public sector work plans to support in-person or work-from-home services.*
 - Eureka County has invested heavily in mechanisms to safely support in-person or work-from-home services. Eureka County has no plans to offer work-from-home services at this time and all County facilities and offices will be fully open on May 1.

Enforcement Measures

- *Regional enforcement partnership and coordination structure.*
 - None
- *Enforcement monitoring activities.*
 - None
- *Enforcement actions for offenses.*
 - None

Public Information

- *Campaigns to promote public health measures.*
 - Eureka County continues to provide important public health information to our community through several through media releases to promote public health measures, encourage testing, vaccines, and safe practices.
- *Campaigns to promote and inform on vaccination efforts.*
 - Eureka County continues to promote and provide vaccine information to our public through media releases and simple word of mouth in local communities. Vaccines are easily scheduled in coordination with WBRH and County personnel.

Resource Needs

- *Public health, enforcement, or emergency management needs of the county.*
 - The County's Emergency Management and Board of Health continue to provide resources, information, and assistance to serve the needs of our community.

Public Gatherings & Events

- No additional restrictions.

Private Gatherings & Events

- No restrictions.

Food & Beverage Establishments

- No additional restrictions.

Places of Worship

- No restrictions.

Gyms, Fitness/Dance/Yoga Studios, Martial Arts Studios & Similar Establishments

- No restrictions.

Gaming Floors

Capacity and mitigation measures for gaming areas will NOT transition to local control after May 1 and will remain under the authority of the Nevada Gaming Control Board. Uniform, statewide mitigation measures will continue to apply to gaming areas.

Arcades, Racetracks, Bowling Alleys, Mini Golf, Pool Halls, Amusement & Theme Parks, and Similar Activities

- No restrictions.

Libraries, Museums, Art Galleries, Aquariums & Zoos

- No restrictions.

Body Art & Piercing Establishments

- No restrictions.

Spas, Massage Therapy & Massage Establishments

- Eureka County does not have any restrictions for this industry.

Hair Salons, Barbershops, Nail Salons & Businesses that Provide Aesthetic Skin Services

- Eureka County does not have any additional restrictions for this industry.

Retail Stores.

- Eureka County does not have any restrictions for this industry.

Cannabis

- Eureka County does not have any cannabis establishments and County Ordinance prohibits any within the County.

Indoor Malls

- N/A

Community & Recreational Centers

- No restrictions.

Youth and Adult Recreational Sports

- No restrictions.

Adult Entertainment Establishments, Nightclubs & Dayclubs, Brothels, Karaoke

- Eureka County does not have any additional restrictions, nor do we have any establishments specifically categorized under these headings.

This plan was reviewed and endorsed by the *Eureka County Board of Health on this 20th day of April 2021.

*Superintendent of the Eureka County School District is a participant at Board of Health meetings and in steady contact with local elected and appointed officials. Representatives of WBRH are participants at meetings.

This plan was PROPOSED and ADOPTED during a regular meeting of the Board of Eureka County Commissioners on this 20th day of April 2021.

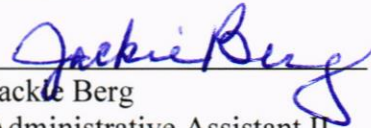
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